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At Hilo the last case of human plague occurred March 23, 1910. A fatal case occurred at Honokaa, 60 miles from Hilo, April 20, 1911.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Honokaa February 2, 1911. A plague-infected rat was found at Hilo during the week ended June 10, 1911.

Chief Quarantine Officer Ramus reports, September 25:

Honolulu—Plague-Prevention Work.

Week ended Sept. 23, 1911.

Total rats and mongoose taken.....	656
Rats trapped.....	551
Mongoose trapped.....	16
Rats shot from trees.....	84
Examined bacteriologically.....	537
Classification of rats trapped:	
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	56
<i>Mus musculus</i>	193
<i>Mus norvegicus</i>	49
<i>Mus rattus</i>	253
Classification of rats shot from trees:	
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	21
<i>Mus rattus</i>	63

INDIA.

Calcutta—Cholera and Plague.

Acting Asst. Surg. Allan reports, September 14 and 21:

During the week ended August 26, 10 deaths from cholera and 3 from plague were reported at Calcutta; in all Bengal, 20 cases of plague with 17 deaths; in all India, 5,493 cases of plague with 3,813 deaths.

During the week ended September 2 there were reported at Calcutta 16 deaths from cholera and 9 from plague; in all Bengal, 28 cases of plague with 20 deaths; in all India, 6,397 cases of plague with 4,590 deaths.

JAPAN.

Cholera at Osaka.

Acting Asst. Surg. Moore at Kobe reports, September 13, the occurrence of 4 cases of cholera with 1 death at Osaka.

MALTA.

Quarantine Measures Against Cholera and Plague.

The following regulations for the treatment of vessels arriving from localities infected with cholera or plague have been issued by the governor of Malta:

A.—Infected ships.

I. The sick shall be at once disembarked at the quarantine station at Comino and isolated.

II. The other persons on board shall be disembarked, if possible, and kept under observation at the quarantine station for a period not exceeding five days from the date of the death or isolation of the last case that occurred on board the ship, or during the period of observation. The quarantine medical officer may admit to pratique any passengers whose movements he may consider it possible to trace, upon their